

# **City of Richmond Design Review Board AGENDA**

# Wednesday, April 8, 2015 at 6:00pm Multipurpose Room, Community Services Building, Basement, 440 Civic Center Plaza, Richmond CA 94804

COMMUNICATION ACCESS INFORMATION: This meeting is being held in a wheelchair accessible location. To request disability-related accommodation(s) to participate in the meeting, including auxiliary aids or services, please contact Bruce Soublet, ADA Coordinator, at (510) 620-6509 at least three business days before the meeting date.

Roll Call Eileen Whitty, Chair Brant Fetter Ray Welter

Brenda Munoz, Vice Chair Jonathan Livingston Mike Woldemar

**Introductions** Introduction of staff members and other guests.

Approval of Minutes None

Approval of Agenda At the discretion of the Chair, items on the agenda may be heard in an order

different from that which appears on the agenda.

**Meeting Procedures** Members of the public attending a Design Review Board meeting for the first time

are encouraged to read the "Meeting Procedures" information following the agenda.

**Public Forum** Anyone who wishes to address the Board on a topic that is not on the agenda must

file a speaker form with the staff ......2 minute limit.

City Council Liaison Report The City Council member serving as liaison to the Board may make a report on

City Council actions of interest to the Board.

Consent Calendar Item number(s): 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5

**Appeal Date** The appeal date for actions taken by the Board at this meeting is no later than

5:00pm on Monday, April 20, 2015.

## Public Hearing(s)

1. PLN14-205 WESTRIDGE APARTMENTS EXTERIOR SITE IMPROVEMENTS

Description: (CONTINUED FROM 3/11/2015) PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER A REQUEST FOR A

DESIGN REVIEW PERMIT TO ALLOW EXTERIOR SITE IMPROVEMENTS FOR AN EXISTING 401-UNIT RESIDENTIAL APARTMENT COMPLEX WITHIN THE

FAIRMEDE/HILLTOP NEIGHBORHOOD.

Location: 3175 S HAMPTON COURT

APN: 414-300-003

Zoning: MFR-3 (MULTI-FAMILY HIGH DENSITY RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT)

Applicant: MENLO WESTRIDGE INVESTORS
Architect: OAKLEY AND OAKLEY ARCHITECTS

Staff Contact: HECTOR LOPEZ Recommendation: HOLD OVER TO 4/22

2. PLN14-339 FIERRO NEW RESIDENTIAL DUPLEX

Description (HELD OVER FROM 3/25/2015) PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER A REQUEST FOR A

DESIGN REVIEW PERMIT TO CONSTRUCT A RESIDENTIAL DUPLEX (EACH UNIT ±1,500 SQUARE FEET) ON A ±4,300 SQUARE FOOT VACANT PARCEL

WITHIN THE SHIELDS-REID NEIGHBORHOOD.

Location SOUTHWEST CORNER OF KELSEY STREET AND CHESLEY AVENUE

APN 561-181-013

Zoning C-1 (NEIGHBORHOOD COMMERCIAL DISTRICT)

Applicant ALBERTO DEVIGAL (DESIGNER)

Owner JUAN FIERRO

Staff Contact HECTOR LOPEZ Recommendation: CONDITIONAL APPROVAL

3. PLN15-121 MILL ACCESSORY STRUCTURE

Description (HELD OVER FROM 3/25/2015) PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER A REQUEST FOR A

DESIGN REVIEW PERMIT TO CONSTRUCT A ±400 SQUARE FOOT, SECOND-STORY ACCESSORY STRUCTURE ON TOP OF AN EXISTING DETACHED

CARPORT WITHIN THE PT. RICHMOND NEIGHBORHOOD.

Location 875 OCEAN AVE APN 558-233-011

Zoning SFR-2 (SINGLE-FAMILY VERY LOW DENSITY DISTRICT)

Applicant MILL DONALD ROBERTSON (OWNER)

Staff Contact JONELYN WHALES Recommendation: CONDITIONAL APPROVAL

4. PLN15-092 LOPEZ DETACHED SECOND DWELLING UNIT

Description: PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER A REQUEST FOR A DESIGN REVIEW

PERMIT TO ALLOW CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW ±462 SQUARE FOOT SECOND DWELLING UNIT WITHIN THE IRON TRIANGLE NEIGHBORHOOD.

Location: 501 BISSELL AVENUE

APN: 538-220-017

Zoning: SFR-3 (SINGLE FAMILY LOW DENSITY RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT)

Owner: AVELIGALI LOPEZ
Applicant: SERGIO CASANOVA

Staff Contact: DAVID BROSKY Recommendation: HOLD OVER TO 4/22/2015

5. PLN15-105 WILTS TWO-STORY ADDITION

Description PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER A REQUEST FOR A DESIGN REVIEW

PERMIT TO CONSTRUCT A  $\pm 480$  SQUARE FOOT TWO-STORY ADDITION TO AN EXISTING SINGLE-FAMILY RESIDENCE WITHIN THE NORTH AND EAST

NEIGHBORHOOD.

Location 2910 MARICOPA AVENUE

APN 526-220-002

Zoning SFR-3 (SINGLE-FAMILY LOW DENSITY RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT)

Applicant JAMES WILTS (OWNER)

Staff Contact HECTOR LOPEZ Recommendation: HOLD OVER TO 4/22/2015

Board Business A. Staff reports, requests, or announcements

B. Board member reports, requests, or announcements

Adjournment The next meeting of the City of Richmond Design Review Board is scheduled

on Wednesday, April 22, 2015.

#### **Meeting Procedures**

<u>Function of a Public Hearing</u> • A public hearing is intended to inform the public of pending proposals and to enable members of the public to present relevant information and viewpoints before any Board action. The Board encourages community participation at its meetings and has established procedures that are intended to accommodate public input in a timely manner as follows.

**Speaker Registration** • Persons wishing to speak on a particular item on the agenda must file a speaker form with the staff prior to the Board's consideration of the item. Once discussion on the agenda item begins, only those persons who have previously submitted speaker forms will be permitted to speak on the item.

<u>Consent Calendar</u> • Applications that are considered routine by the Staff have been placed on the consent calendar with a recommendation to approve, conditionally approve, or continue the item to a date certain. The Board may act in one motion to adopt the staff recommendations on those items.

Prior to voting on the consent calendar, the Chair will ask if any member of the public wishes to speak on any of the items listed on the consent calendar. If you wish to speak, please rise and request that the agenda item be removed from the consent calendar. Items removed will be discussed in the numerical order listed in the agenda.

### **Public Hearing Procedure**

- Chair identifies the agenda item and explains any deviation from the standard speaker rules.
- 2. Staff presents a brief project summary and makes a preliminary recommendation.
- 3. Board members may ask questions of Staff regarding the proposal.
- 4. Chair opens the public hearing.
- 5. Applicant is invited to describe and explain the proposal ....... 5 minute limit.

- 8. Board members may ask follow-up questions of the speakers at any time.
- 9. Staff presents a final summary and recommendation.
- Board members discuss the proposal and vote to either to close or to continue the public hearing to a specific date.
- 11. If the public hearing is closed, Board members further discuss the proposal and vote to approve, to approve with conditions, or to deny the application.
- 12. Chair informs the audience of the Board's action and appeal process.

<u>Appeals</u> • Decisions of the Design Review Board may be appealed to the City Council within ten days. Appeals must be submitted to the City Clerk's office in writing and must indicate the reasons that the Board's action should be reversed.

<u>Legal Challenge Notice</u> ● If you challenge a decision on any of the items on this agenda in court, you may be limited to only those issues you or someone else raised at any public hearing on the item challenged, or in written correspondence delivered to the public entity conducting the hearing at, or prior to, the public hearing.

<u>Meeting Time Limits</u> • If all of the agenda items are not completed by 9:00 PM, the items remaining shall be continued to the next regular meeting unless the Board votes to extend the meeting.

<u>Staff Reports and Tentative Recommendations</u> • Copies of the Staff reports for the public hearing items on this agenda can be viewed on the City of Richmond's website at: http://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/DocumentCenter/Index/637

<u>Cell Phones</u> • Please silence all cell phones, pagers, and other electronic devices during the meeting.